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THE WEATHER

Partly cloudy tonight and Tuesday moderate temperature.

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REPUBLICANS, IF YOU HAVE NOT REGISTERED DO SO TOMORROW

DELCASSE CASE CAUSES TROUBLE

The Kaiser Said to be Left in a Predicament.

He Will Have to Pursue His Adopted Policy Towards France—Hopes For Conciliation.

THE LATEST FROM DIPLOMATS

London, Oct. 16.—Kaiser Wilhelm seems to be between the horns of a dilemma as a result of the Delcasse revelation. The Kaiser has been courting the good will of France and doing his best to relieve the bad effects of the hostile attitude taken by Germany in the Moroccan affair. However, it may be expected that Wilhelm will not abandon his policy of conciliation toward France in view of the fact that he finds himself isolated as a result of the Anglo-Japanese alliance and the growing friendship between Great Britain and Russia.

It is a general belief among diplomats that the Kaiser, finding his activities curbed in Asia, will next turn his efforts toward extending his sphere of influence in Europe, and that the disturbances in Hungary and the Balkans will be closely watched by Germany from now on.

Another menacing factor in European affairs is the internal condition of Russia, which many recent occurrences go to show is steadily approaching a crisis that may tax all the powers of M. Witte to lead the government in safety. The rioting at Moscow and Warsaw and the agitation which has been renewed among the students of the universities are taken by many as signs of the near approach of the long looked for Russian revolution that may set all Europe aflame, and which is confidently predicted by Maxim Gorky, as the only means of salvation for the oppressed people of the czar's domain.

One result of the disturbed relations between France and Germany has been the awakening of the popular sympathy with the Kaiser's plans for a larger navy.

HIT CATTLE

FIVE TRAINMEN KILLED AS A RESULT OF A WRECK.

Two Locomotives and Eleven Cars Piled in a Heap—Heavy Loss to Railroad.

Oskaloosa, Iowa, Oct. 16.—Five trainmen were killed yesterday at Seaton, Ill., when a heavy double-header freight, eastbound on the Iowa track at a speed of twenty miles an hour. Both locomotives and eleven freight cars loaded with grain and lumber, were piled in a heap beside the track.

The dead: GEORGE A. CAFFAL, engineer; HARRY SUMMERS, engineer; HARRY BARR, fireman; L. H. BAILEY, fireman; P. T. MORGAN, brakeman. All the men killed lived in Oskaloosa, except Briley, whose home was in Monmouth, Ill.

MOTION TO ADVANCE

Howard Case Was Today Denied at Washington.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 16.—In the supreme court today a motion to advance the case of James Howard against the state of Kentucky was denied. Howard is under life sentence for the murder of Senator Goebel and the appeal is from the sentence against him. Powers was tried three times.

The supreme court today advanced the hearing of the cases against the Tobacco and Paper trust officials who refused to answer questions of produce papers in the lower courts. Arguments are set for January 2.

HOME AGAIN.

Baron Komura Reaches Tokio—Received by Government Officials.

Tokio, Oct. 16.—Baron Komura arrived today from Vancouver. The peace envoy was received only by the government officials. The streets being strongly guarded. Baron Komura was driven to the Imperial Palace. The peace treaty went into effect today. Criticism of its terms in the army and field are forbidden.

QUITE A PREDICAMENT.

Miss Roosevelt Will Have to Pay Duty On Her Costly Presents.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 16.—If the president's daughter desires to keep all the costly presents made her by emperors, sultans and other potentates, during her tour of the Orient, she will have to ask the assistance of congress.

In no other way will she be allowed to bring them in duty free, unless she donates them to some national institution. The law makes no exception in favor of the president and his family. Congress however can pass an act admitting the presents free of duty.

INTERNED SHIPS

Are Ordered Released—First Recognition of Peace Ratification.

Washington, Oct. 16.—Orders were issued today by the state department through the navy department to release the Russian interned ship Lena, at San Francisco, and three ships of Admiral Enquist's squadron at Manila. This is the first official recognition by the United States of the ratification of the Russo-Japanese peace treaty.

THE DECREASE

IN YELLOW FEVER CASES CONTINUES IN MOST PLACES.

There is Still a Small Number of New Cases and Deaths Occur Each Day.

Yesterday's Report.

New cases	9
Total	3,314
Deaths	3
Total	431
New febrile	2
Under treatment	145
Discharged	2,710

At New Orleans.

New Orleans, Oct. 16.—For the first time since fever started in this city the number of new cases reported is below ten, with the number of deaths extremely small for this stage of the epidemic. While nine cases are reported, one of the cases could not possibly be yellow fever, the record having been made before this fact was made known, so there are in reality only eight new cases.

At Natchez.

Natchez, Miss., Oct. 16.—Seven new cases of yellow fever were reported yesterday and six of these were white patients. Miss Mary Chamberlain, daughter of one of the most prominent citizens of the city and niece of Governor Chamberlain of Oregon, is among the number. One death occurred.

At Vicksburg.

Vicksburg, Miss., Oct. 16.—Six new cases and two deaths make a rather unfavorable report for the twenty-four hours ending at 6 p. m. yesterday. Four new cases are negroes.

At Pensacola.

Pensacola, Fla., Oct. 16.—The yellow fever report showed an improvement in this situation. While there was a small increase in the number of cases and also in deaths, it was noticeable that the cases were confined to the original foci.

The summary shows during the day fifteen new cases reported. Two deaths occurred. Fifteen were discharged.

Total deaths, 55. Total cases, 409.

At present there are 179 cases under treatment.

SIR HENRY IRVING

May Be Buried at Westminster Abbey.

London, Oct. 16.—The movement to have Sir Henry Irving buried at Westminster Abbey is becoming general. There is a widespread demand that this last honor be accorded the great actor. The principal difficulty is a lack of room.

Examiner Goes Before Federal Jury.

Louisville, Ky., Oct. 16.—R. D. Garrett, United States bank examiner, is here today in obedience to a subpoena to appear before the federal grand jury. As Mr. Garrett closed the Western National bank a few weeks ago, it is supposed his presence before the grand jury is for the purpose of testifying in that connection. The bank was reopened today.

Belt Caught Fire.

A belt fell on a live wire at Riglesberger's mill on South Third street about 2 o'clock this afternoon and caught on fire. It was extinguished without damage.

NO MORE STREET WORK AT PRESENT

The Board of Works Will Exercise Its Authority Hereafter.

Inform Mr. Ingram, of the Bitulithic Company, That Present Improvements Come First.

THEN OTHER WORK MAY START.

No work on the Kentucky and Jefferson street improvements was started this morning by the Southern Bitulithic company, as the board of public works will not permit any more streets being torn up until the work on Kentucky avenue and Jefferson streets is completed.

President Ingram, of the Southern Bitulithic company, is in Nashville, Tenn., and this morning telephoned Capt. S. A. Fowler, secretary of the board of works, that he was ready to go to work on the other streets at any time and to let him know when the city would be ready for the work to proceed. Secretary Fowler informed Mr. Ingram that no more work would be started before the present job was completed, which will be several weeks yet, as the contractors have not commenced to lay the concrete foundation on Kentucky avenue. City Engineer L. A. Washington has not given the firm the grades for the other streets and therefore the work could not be begun if the board of works was ready. All the street work is under the direction of the city engineer.

There has been some talk of the general council stopping the work until next spring. Secretary Fowler stated this morning that the board of works had been very courteous to the general council and had let it dictate to a certain extent, but that when it came down to which body had the power to stop and continue street work it was invested in the board of works and the general council had no legal right to interfere. He said that the present work was proceeding as rapidly as it could. No statement was made as to whether the general council would be ignored hereafter or not but it was inferred that it would be on this contract if it attempts to interfere.

South Third street will probably be finished the latter part of the week if bad weather does not set in. The street is being improved with brick from Kentucky avenue to Broad and on Broad to Fourth street. See's Fowler said this morning that the job was a good one as far as it had gone.

GRAND DUKE CYRIL EXCLUDED FROM RUSSIAN NAVY.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 16.—An imperial ukase has been issued excluding Grand Duke Cyril, between whom and the Russian throne are only three lives, from the Russian navy because of his marriage to his cousin, Victoria, divorced wife of Grand Duke of Hesse, which was forbidden by the czar.

KENTUCKIAN KILLED.

"Bob" Arnold, Formerly of Madisonville, Shot to Death at Bullfrog, Nev.

Bullfrog, Nev., Oct. 16.—In a street fight A. J. Jodoin, a Frenchman, shot and almost instantly killed "Bob" Arnold, a prospector, formerly of Madisonville, Ky. The trouble arose over a trifling remark made by Jodoin last night, at which Arnold took offense. The latter drew a gun and struck Jodoin a severe blow on the head, making an ugly cut. Today as Jodoin was leaving a saloon Arnold began shooting. Jodoin turned and drew a revolver and took deliberate aim. His pistol missed fire four times, but the fifth attempt was successful and Arnold fell, shot through the abdomen. He died thirty minutes later.

FIGHT OVER A WOMAN.

Results in Another Murder Near Middleshoro.

Middleshoro, Ky., Oct. 16.—In a fight over a woman yesterday near town, Mark Smith shot Tilman West three times, killing him instantly. Smith escaped to the mountains.

Treaty of Peace in Effect.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 16.—The treaty of peace went into effect today and the terms announced in full today agree in the main with the summary given out at Portsmouth.

DECOMPOSING BODY FOUND BY CORONER

Remains of Boy, Dead Three Weeks, Rotting Away.

Is Kept By Allen Free in One Room of His Shanty Boat—No One Was at Home.

CORONER CROW WILL ACT

Coroner Charles Crow rowed over to the towhead Saturday afternoon to investigate the report that an old man had the body of his son in his house boat and refused to bury it. The island to which the houseboat had been moored is opposite the Illinois incline. Coroner Crow found when he arrived that the boat had been moved over to the Illinois shore near the towhead.

He crossed over and boarded it. The boat is an ordinary "shanty-boat," and no one appeared when he shouted to the occupants. He ran his skiff up to it then and boarded it. He found it to contain two rooms, both scantily furnished.

An awful stench pervaded the boat, and he could scarcely remain even on the outside of it. There was no one in sight, when he entered the first room, and it soon became evident that the boat was deserted. The coroner then opened the partition door and went into the next room.

He found in there a rude wooden box from which the sickening odor emanated. The flies swarmed about it, and the coroner had to pause for breath before he could proceed.

He lifted the lid and saw the decomposing corpse of the boy in it. It was in such a condition that it was impossible to determine from an inspection whether it was that of a white or colored person. The reports that the body had been embalmed by the father was a mistake. Nothing seems to have been done to preserve it.

Coroner Crow left the boat and waited outside for someone to come, and then landing on the Illinois shore, went to a hut on top of the bank and found a fisherman.

The latter said that the boy's father was known as Allen Free, and that the boy had been dead nearly three weeks. He said the cause of death was "black fever."

The aged and evidently insane father and family were nowhere in sight, and the coroner does not know whether they were driven from their boat by the horrible stench, or whether they were only temporarily absent. As he was not certain he had authority to touch the remains, he returned to Paducah to hold a conference with County Judge Lightfoot and ascertain what could be done.

Judge Lightfoot told him that the county authorities had jurisdiction to the Illinois shore, and instructed Coroner Crow to have Deputy Sheriff Will Lydon accompany him across the river and get the body and bring back the father; if necessary, to be tried for lunacy.

Deputy Lydon was busy and Sheriff Lee Potter, according to Coroner Crow, said he himself would not go over unless he received authority to "bring the man back dead or alive."

As there is no law giving such authority as this, it could not be given. An officer has the right to use such force as is necessary to take a prisoner, but cannot be instructed to bring a man back "dead or alive."

Judge Lightfoot, after hearing that the sheriff refused to go or send a deputy, said he did not know what would be done, but that the coroner has a right to summon help and take the body by force, if necessary.

Coroner Crow will this afternoon cross the river and try to see the father and induce him to allow the remains of the boy buried. If he refuses the coroner has not decided what his course will be.

Common decency and a proper regard for health require that the body be buried, and Coroner Crow will bury it if he finds he can legally do so.

Coroner Crow said this afternoon that he would probably take over a squad of deputies. He has been informed that the old man shoots at anyone who threatens to take the body, hence the trip is not a pleasant one to anticipate. It has not yet been decided when to go after the body.

Suit Results in Assignment.

Cleveland, Oct. 16.—The Indemnity Savings and Loan company made an assignment today. No statement of liabilities and assets was made, but the bond was fixed at a hundred thousand. The suit was brought by the General Ellis Saturday, charging violation of charter rights.

THICK AND FAST.

Sensations Are Expected in Divorce Proceedings of Royalty.

Gotha, Germany, Oct. 16.—The trial suit of Prince Philip, of Coburg, for divorce from Princess Louise, daughter of King Leopold, was begun here, and promises to be replete with sensations.

In his petition Prince Philip alleges infidelity and desertion on part of Princess Louise, as well as numerous other indiscretions, and irregularities. Princess Louise is also seeking a decree on the grounds that cruelties were practiced on her by her husband, including five years incarceration in a madhouse.

GROSS FRAUDS.

Alleged By Cuban Liberal Party for Withdrawing From Campaign.

Havana, Oct. 16.—Members of the Liberal party today justify the action of their convention yesterday in deciding to withdraw from the coming presidential election, by saying that no other course is left, to pursue. They say that on account of the colossal frauds committed in registration it is useless to continue the campaign.

MORE TROUBLE

FOR ROBERT LEE HAWKINS, THIS TIME IN ST. LOUIS.

Man Claiming to Be Lee Hawkins, of Paducah, Under Arrest There.

St. Louis, Mo., Oct. 16.—Lee Hawkins, aged 28 years, and claiming Paducah as his home, was arrested by Patrolman Fitzgibbons Sunday afternoon on complaint of William and George Branch, aged 18 and 15 respectively, of 1902 Division street, who charge him with obtaining money under false pretenses.

At the station Hawkins several times asked permission to go to his room at 925 Morgan street for his coat. The patrolman went for the coat and in the pocket was found a clipping from a Paducah paper implicating him, it is said, in a similar case there.

The above is supposed to be Robert Lee Hawkins, who was arrested here sometime ago on a charge of defrauding several persons by promising to get them railroad positions, and collecting various amounts which were supposed to admit them to unions, and other things.

He was released on bond, and the last grand jury, for some reason, failed to indict him. If the man is the same—and the local police think it must be—he must have been trying the same scheme in St. Louis.

BRYAN IN JAPAN.

Prominent Officials to Tender Him Honors.

Tokio, Oct. 16.—William J. Bryan and family, who arrived at Yokohama Sunday will spend two weeks in Japan. They will make a visit of days in Tokio and Marquis Ito, president of the privy council, and Count Okuma, foreign minister, will invite Bryan to dinner. The Japan-American society will invite Bryan to address its members at the Young Men's hall on October 17. Count Okuma will preside at the function.

Cairo Warehouse Burned.

Cairo, Ill., Oct. 16.—The Halliday & Phillips warehouses, situated on the Ohio levee below Fourth street, was destroyed by fire Saturday afternoon. A strong wind blowing toward the river saved the entire lower end of town from destruction. The warehouse was vacant, and was insured for \$6,000.

TODAY'S MARKET

	Open	Close
Wheat—		
Dec.	76 3/4	76 3/4
May.	78 3/4	78 3/4
Corn—		
Dec.	39	39
May.	39	39
Oats—		
Dec.	26 1/4	26 1/4
May.	27 1/4	27 1/4
Pork—		
Jan.	12.47	12.45
Cotton—		
Oct.	9.40	9.31
Dec.	9.66	9.61
Jan.	9.77	9.72
Feb.	9.92	9.87
Stocks—		
I. C.	1.79	1.79
L. & N.	1.51 1/4	1.51 1/4
Rdg.	1.21	1.21 1/4
Op.	.84 1/2	.85
Money.		5 Per Ct.

STRINGS OF HORSES BEGIN TO ARRIVE

Mr. Gus Coulter's Arrived Today From Graves County.

The Park Has Been Completely Fitted Up for the Horse Show Beginning Wednesday Night.

MANY VISITORS ARE COMING

Horses for the Horse Show commenced to arrive today, the second string being that of Mr. Gus Coulter, who has a fine stock farm at Mayfield. The other animals from various places will arrive tonight, tomorrow and Wednesday. They will come from Owensboro, Lexington, Union City, Tenn., Bandana, Virginia and other points. Dr. J. B. Garber brought in the first string last Thursday night, they being German coach horses from Watsela, Ill.

The drills are going on at the baseball park, where the show is to be held Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. There will be many society people here from other places. They have already begun to arrive. The additional boxes are being built. In the grand stand and have about all been sold. The shed for the horses is being built in the park. All the lights have been placed and the park is almost as light at night as in daytime. It will be a brilliant spectacle.

Mr. R. B. Phillips, one of the originators of the show, stated this morning that no vehicles not entered in contests would be permitted inside the park, so people going out in buggies and other conveyances will have to tie their animals on the outside. If they were permitted to drive inside there would be no room for the events, he explained.

A band stand was erected today at Fourth and Broadway, where a brass band will make music during the day. The committee in charge of the music and other arrangements proposes to have attractions down in the city to entertain the visitors during the day as well as at night.

Dr. J. B. Garber had his fine horses down in the city again this morning and brought them around to The Sun office for inspection. He has his assistants in uniform and they and the horses attract a great deal of attention. It is probable that these will be the only German coach horses at the show. One of them is valued at \$10,000.

The buttons and badges for the horse show have arrived and are on sale at the office of Sec'y D. W. Coons of the Commercial club.

And the band stand is being built this afternoon at Second and Broadway, near the entrance of the market house.

Messrs. C. L. Van Meter and Jas. A. Glauber have entered their fine mare, Miss Tandy, in nine rings, both saddle and harness. This animal came from Topeka, Kan., and is one of the best saddle and harness mares ever seen in Paducah. She will be driven and ridden by Miss James A. Glauber, Mr. Glauber and Mr. Van Meter.

Dr. H. P. Sights and Mr. W. J. Hills have taken one of the boxes together.

It has been decided that street costume and not evening dress will be worn at the horse show, and common sense endorses the decision as the most sensible for the weather and the open building. The gowns may be as light and dainty as the wearers wish, and if the present cool weather continues the always-becoming furs may be donned to lend a charm to the wearer and the dress. Furs were worn in Louisville when the thermometer was quite high up and must be the proper thing for horse show events.

Miss Pattie Crook, horse show sponsor from Jackson Tenn., will be the guest of Miss Blanche Hills on Jefferson street. Miss Alice Farmer, of Frankfort, Ky., is also expected to visit Miss Hills.

Miss Lucile Rogers, of Waverly, Tenn., one of the sponsors for the horse show from Tennessee, arrived today and is the guest of Miss Clara Park, on West Jefferson boulevard. The Cairo Bulletin of today says that Mrs. C. C. Terrell and Misses Emma Woodward and Blanche Parsons have accepted as sponsors to the horse show. It also says that several Cairo and Southern Illinois horses have been entered in the ring contests here.

Those who are to take part in the musical ride are urged to be at the park promptly at 7 o'clock tonight for practice.

One Pound Baby Born in Missouri. Bayler, Mo., Oct. 16.—A boy weighing one pound was born to the wife of Lonnie Brummer on Wednesday last.